

Exhibit A

Proposed Order

**IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF DELAWARE**

In re:

BIG LOTS, INC., *et al.*,

Debtors.¹

Chapter 11

No. 24-11967 (JKS)

(Jointly Administered)

Re: D.I. 1351

**BRIDGE ORDER (I) EXTENDING TIME TO ASSUME OR REJECT UNEXPIRED
LEASES OF NONRESIDENTIAL REAL PROPERTY AND
(II) GRANTING RELATED RELIEF**

Upon the oral motion at the hearing held on December 31, 2024 (the “**Hearing**”) concerning the relief sought in the motion (the “**Motion**”)² of the above-captioned Debtors for entry of an order: (i) extending the deadline within which they must assume or reject their Unexpired Leases and (ii) granting related relief, all as more fully set forth in the Motion; and this Court having found that this is a core proceeding pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 157(b)(2) and that this Court may enter a final order consistent with Article III of the United States Constitution; and this Court having found that venue in this district is proper pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §§ 1408 and 1409; and upon all of the proceedings had before this Court; and after due deliberation and sufficient cause appearing therefor, it is **HEREBY ORDERED THAT:**

¹ The debtors and debtors in possession in these chapter 11 cases, along with the last four digits of their respective employer identification numbers, are as follows: Great Basin, LLC (6158); Big Lots, Inc. (9097); Big Lots Management, LLC (7948); Consolidated Property Holdings, LLC (0984); Broyhill LLC (7868); Big Lots Stores - PNS, LLC (5262); Big Lots Stores, LLC (6811); BLBO Tenant, LLC (0552); Big Lots Stores - CSR, LLC (6182); CSC Distribution LLC (8785); Closeout Distribution, LLC (0309); Durant DC, LLC (2033); AVDC, LLC (3400); GAFDC LLC (8673); PAFDC LLC (2377); WAFDC, LLC (6163); INFDC, LLC (2820); Big Lots eCommerce LLC (9612); and Big Lots F&S, LLC (3277). The address of the debtors’ corporate headquarters is 4900 E. Dublin-Granville Road, Columbus, OH 43081.

² Capitalized terms used but not otherwise defined herein shall have the meanings ascribed to them in the Motion.

1. As stated on the record at the Hearing, the time within which the Debtors must assume or reject their Unexpired Leases is hereby extended from January 7, 2025, through and including January 21, 2025, without prejudice to the Debtors' rights to seek further extensions or any party in interest's right to object thereto, so that the Motion may be heard at the hearing scheduled for January 21, 2025.

2. This Court retains jurisdiction with respect to all matters arising from or related to the implementation, interpretation, and enforcement of this Order.